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	<b>First Named Inventor</b>	Wenhua Lin	
	<b>Group Art Unit</b>	2633	
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In re Application of:

Wenhua Lin

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For: **Tunable Add/Drop Node for an Optical Network**

Group No.: 2633

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**AMENDMENT AND REQUEST FOR RECONSIDERATION**

In response to the Office Action mailed May 2, 2006, please amend the application as follows: